

WEEKLY REPUBLICAN—1907.
DAILY PUBLIC LEDGER—1905.

MAYSVILLE, KY., TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1905.

ONE COPY—ONE CENT.



WAYS OF BIG MEN OF THE WORLD
We might be as dumb as they;
And, departing, leave behind us
Wise things that we didn't say.

POSITIVELY

Copy for "changes" in advertisements MUST be sent in before 2 o'clock on the previous day.

If you have an item of news, please call up The Ledger, Telephone 33, and let us have it.

The C. and O. pay car will pass down Friday or Saturday.

Mrs. George Roe is very ill at her home at Orangeburg.

Clarence Lebus has started a pork packing establishment at Cynthiana.

Mrs. Walter Green of Forest avenue is reported critically ill this morning with pneumonia.

Stanley W. Brady gave bond yesterday morning as Constable of the Seventh Magisterial District.

There will be a prayer-meeting at the home of Dr. John Barbour tonight. Neighbors and friends invited.

Yesterday was a busy day for the ice harvesters. Traxel secured pond ice that measured over four inches.

Nelson Chunn has a very bad case of jaundice. He is as yellow as a pumpkin, yet he walks the streets as though he were a well man.

THE LEDGER was misinformed in stating John J. Tucker's family were all down with the diphtheria. There was only one case, Condit, and he is now going about his room and will be out in a few days. School at Jersey Ridge was only closed a week and two days.

Mrs. Nancy G. Stone, the venerable mother of Mrs. Martha J. Collins and Mrs. M. F. Chase of the East End, celebrated her 94th birthday anniversary Sunday. This good woman is in the enjoyment of good health and her mental faculties are as bright as a silver dollar.

Colonel J. Wesley Lee, Secretary of Section No. 1,044, Endowment Rank, Knights of Pythias, has paid to Mrs. Mary D. Marsh, widow of the late M. F. Marsh, \$3,000, the amount of his endowment, being the first company to settle. There is no better insurance than the Endowment of K. of P.

Diamonds are steadily advancing. We are offering diamonds at prices that no dealer in this section can meet the prices. Call and let us show you our line. We have convinced others, we can satisfy you. With every \$ worth of goods ticket on the elegant diamond ring, tickets given also to those who call and pay bills.

MURPHY, the Jeweler.



BIRTH.

Born, Sunday night, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brodt of Limestone street, a bouncing boy.

HUGHES.

Born, to Mrs. H. Eugene Hughes, at Dayton, O., Thursday, the 12th, a 10 pound boy. Mrs. Hughes was formerly Miss Grace Harding of this city. Mother and son doing fine.



MRS. MARY RYAN.

Mrs. Mary Ryan dropped dead at her home, No. 102 West Fourth street, last night at 8 o'clock.

She was in good health and had started from the front room to the kitchen when she was stricken and fell in the doorway. Heart failure was the cause of death.

Mrs. Ryan was born in Queens County, Ireland, in 1828, and for the past 28 years had resided in this city.

She leaves three daughters, Mrs. William Bierley of Brown county, O., Mrs. Kate Kellum and Miss Mamie Ryan of this city.

The funeral will take place tomorrow at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's Church.

Interment in Washington Cemetery.

Is It
Good
Printing?

Try The Ledger Printer. Only first class work by an artistic job specialist. How are you off for Bill Heads for your January accounts? Now is the time to have your printing done, ready for the New Year. Give The Ledger Printer a trial and you will be pleased.

SOMETHING NEW AND DELICIOUS.

Apricot Brandy 50c full quart.

M. C. RUSSELL CO.

TURNPIKE SUPERINTENDENT

Office to be Filled by the Fiscal Court in April

A Superintendent of Turnpikes will be elected by the Fiscal Court at its spring session in April.

It is well understood that Squire W. H. Grant is an aspirant for the place.

A caucus will be held shortly that will practically settle the matter as to who that gentleman will be, and according to Mr. Grant's statement as to the state of affairs as they now stand he is the coming man.

The perturbed condition now is somewhat similar to that prevailing last April in the election of an Infirmary Superintendent. It will be remembered that in that election there were open charges of bribery made and the same tactics will be in evidence, it is alleged, again in an effort to defeat Mr. Grant for the office he is now seeking.

There certainly must have been a nigger in the woodpile at the last election held by the Fiscal Court caucus, and THE LEDGER will wait impatiently for the denouement when a Turnpike Superintendent is elected.

SOME TOWN HISTORY

Facts About Maysville That You May Not Know

The town of Maysville, in Bourbon county, was established by an act of the Legislature December 11th, 1787.

The land set aside for the town consisted of one hundred acres, lying on the lower side of Limestone Creek, and belonged to Simon Kenton and John May.

The land was vested in Daniel Boone, Henry Lee, Arthur Fox, Jacob Boone and associates as Trustees.

They were to lay off lots of half an acre each with convenient streets.

They were empowered to sell the same at public auction and convey the lots to the purchasers in fee, subject to the condition of building on each a dwelling house sixteen feet square, with a brick or stone chimney, to be finished fit for habitation within three years from the day of sale.

The money arising from the sale of these lots was to be paid to Simon Kenton and John May or their legal representatives.

If a purchaser failed to build within the time limited then the Trustees were to sell the same again and apply the money for the benefit of the inhabitants of the town.

The City of Maysville was incorporated by an act of the Legislature as such January 11th, 1833.

The city limits were extended by an act approved February 11th, 1854.

The town of East Maysville was annexed to the City of Maysville January 23d, 1867.

An act to extend the limits and jurisdiction of the city was approved April 5th, 1878.

An act to authorize the consolidation of the town of Chester with the City of Maysville was enacted and approved by the Legislature May 16th, 1890.

The question of consolidation was submitted to the legal voters and ratified by same on the 28th day of November, 1891.

This is a little bit of ancient history, but nevertheless, it will do no harm to refreshen the memory of the readers of THE LEDGER in regard to events of the past in which they and their ancestors had an interest and took part.

Ray's Edelweiss Cream is guaranteed to make the skin soft and smooth.

The Big Sandy News is advocating a Commercial Club or Board of Trade for Louisa.

Last month the Christian Church in Kentucky gave for Kentucky Missions \$1,254.49.

The Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company has begun the construction of steel bridges to replace the old wooden bridges on the Kentucky Central Division of the line between Lexington and Cincinnati. It is estimated that the company will expend \$2,000,000 in improvements of the Kentucky Central Division this year.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Best Made.

"In my opinion Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best made for children," says Mrs. Cora Walker of Porterville, California. "There is no doubt about its being the best. No other will cure a cold so quickly. No other is so sure a preventative of pneumonia. No other is so pleasant and safe to take. These are good reasons why it should be preferred to anything else. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having used this remedy. For sale by all Druggists."

Sheet music below coat at Gerbrich's.

Miss Birdie Bissett Walsh has 759 votes in The Commercial Tribune's European trip contest.

The Column House, which is the main building of the F. S. Ashbrook Distillery Company at Cynthiana, was badly wrecked by fire, originating in the yeast room, early Sunday morning, causing a loss of \$5,000, with \$2,500 insurance.

ONLY GROWERS.

The growers of tobacco, not dealers, are expected to exhibit tobacco at the Maysville Tobacco Fair. Get samples ready now. See the premium list.



"GOOD STUFF."

It couldn't be otherwise if it came from D. Hechinger & Co. They have a few odd sizes to close out quick, very cheap, and matters not how low the price you will get these good old

GLOBE STAMPS.

HIGHEST PRAISE.

Some Maysville Citizens Grow Enthusiastic on the Subject.

The praise of the public is merit's just reward. Nothing in modern times has received the praise accorded "The Little Conqueror." Of some kinds of praise we are skeptical. We doubt the praise of strangers. The highest praise for Maysville public is hearty expression from Maysville people. Doan's Kidney Pills are endorsed in Maysville. No better proof of merit can be had. Here's a case of it. We have plenty more like it.

James D. Tolle, clerk at Wood Bros. Meat Market and living at 117 Short street, Maysville, Ky., says:

"I was troubled a great deal for some time with constant heavy pain in the small of my back and over the kidneys. At times it was so bad that I could not stoop to sit down or get up without much difficulty. The action of the kidneys was noticeably weakened and passages of the secretions were too frequent, and there was a scalding, burning sensation at times. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I began using them, and finding great benefit, continued the treatment until I had taken one or two boxes more and was thoroughly cured of all my troubles. I have never had the least bit of suffering from my back or kidneys since. I give all the credit to Doan's Kidney Pills and feel justified in strongly recommending them to others."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

The best of the science that is positive, catarrh, taken internally and mucous at the patient's attention and assisting proprietors have powers that they offer any case that it fails to

Have You Seen
Fishing For

A most noble character adorns J. show window, evidently fishing for He wants to see you. He'll treat you represents the largest and best self-interest in the city. If you see him on want to see him again. He is the most looking gentleman in the town, and you with the best of the at the right price will appreciate a look.

J. C. CABLISI
COX BUILDING.

D. HECHINGER & CO.

It is exceedingly gratifying to merchants when the public takes interest in their advertising. It is furthermore complimentary to the intelligence of the public that they readily select the grain from the chaff. Our last week's ad to close out some lots of our very choicest SUITS and OVERCOATS at way below their value attracted many that did not actually want to buy any more clothing this season, but the quality of the goods and the price we are selling them for now were irresistible "They bought." During this cold snap we want to get rid of our surplus of heavy Ulsters and Storm Coats. If you have half an apology to buy one you will save no less than almost half their value.

THE HOME STORE.

D. HECHINGER & CO.

The Paris City Council is figuring on a municipal electric light plant sufficient to light the city.

Dr. J. C. Molloy will conduct the prayer meeting this evening at the home of Mr. J. James Wood in Forest avenue.

It is roughly estimated that in the fifteen cemeteries in and adjacent to Louisville 150,000 bodies lie buried.

BOARD OF TRADE.
Full meeting requested at John Duley's office Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

This is the season to buy good Monmental work cheap. See MURRAY & THOMAS.

The first proclamation of the marriage of Mr. Charles Henize and Miss Josie Conners of this county was announced at St. Patrick's Church Sunday.

End of the season bargains in Millinery. Mrs. L. V. Davis, No. 39 West Second street.

The annual banquet of the Rev. E. L. Powell will be given at the First Christian Church at Louisville Thursday evening. Over 500 invitations have been issued.

The Good Work Goes On.

The scissors are still busy in the Silk Section. Notwithstanding phenomenal sales there is good choosing yet among the handsome silks we're selling for 48c yard. We provided generously and no old stock, discarded patterns and off shades are in the assortment—to see is to buy, true but true. If you have a silk want of any sort—dress, waist, petticoat, matinee, kimono, coat, don't miss this sale. Of many weaves, patterns and colors are these



Handsome Silks
for 48c Yard.

Petticoats and Tights.

Both are comfortable these nipping days. Knit skirts, knee length, daintily scalloped. Many different color combinations in

these warm protective garments that cost so little—25c. Equestrian Tights in black or white. They add no perceptible weight or bulk to one's apparel yet afford the greatest resistance to cold. Two qualities, 50c, \$1. Leggings for the little folks, 50c, 75c.

Tailored Suits \$10
Were \$20.

It is the fate sure to overtake any tailored suit in our stock at this time of year, no matter how handsome and stylish the garment is. There are twenty-five all told and they are mighty good looking and big quantities for \$20. Measure their excellence by that standard and then remember you are only asked to

Pay \$10.00
For Them.



D. HUNT & SON.

Congressman Kehoe has introduced a bill granting a pension to Mrs. Anna M. Case, dependent mother of Charles C. Case.

Bishop Lewis W. Burton of Lexington is one of the three Bishops selected to consecrate Dr. C. E. Woodcock as Bishop of Kentucky.

Representative James N. Kehoe has introduced a bill granting an increase of pension to William Crawford.

A home prayer meeting will be held this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Means in Market street.

Millinery at one half the cost price at Mrs. L. V. Davis's, West Second street.

In the Circuit Court at Lexington the motion for a change of venue in the case of John Taylor, charged with the murder of William Moore, was overruled.

Mrs. Mamie Kenney Ferguson, wife of James Ferguson, died of Bright's disease at her home at Paris, aged 30.

Mr. Baldwin Reapers has just been promoted to Assistant City Ticket Agent of the Queen and Crescent Railway at Lexington.

WE GIVE
GLOBE STAMPS.

THE BEE



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WE GIVE
GLOBE STAMPSWhen Merz's Blow Their
Trumpet, Then They Co

Said a prominent merchant to one of us, "I noticed this week that most all the stores were having but there were very few people in town. The day you announced your sale there were more people in town except Xmas Eve. Why is this?" We simply said, "DID YOU EVER HEAR THE STORM WOLF?" Saturday was the largest day's sale we have ever had except one. We advertised exactly going to do and we did it, and we don't know of any one who didn't read the advertisement and didn't course not as much as the goods.

THIS SALE IS FOR TWO WEEKS. We want to sell out all the winter stock. We are going February 1st. We won't carry over any goods from season to season. We have cut the price Cloaks, Suits, Skirts, Furs, Raincoats, Dress Goods, Notions, Underwear, Embroideries, Laces,

We received a new lot of SILKS—small stripes and checks. Should have been the late comers will get something good. Price just the same—49 Cent Window.

KINGS OF
LOW PRICES

MERZ BROS

ALPHA FLOUR

Just received, another large shipment. We are authorized to guarantee it to be the best flour sold in Maysville. Send us a trial order and if you are not more than pleased we will refund the full purchase price. If you live in the county, and the Flour don't please you, we will pay you for haul in any way. This kind of a guarantee means something. Send us a trial order.

PHONE No. 43. G. W. GEISEL, OPPOSITE OPERA HOUSE

Nearly one-fifth of the students at Swiss universities are women.

Brazil consumes every year dried beef to the amount of \$6,000,000.

On a rough average 45,000 sovereigns pass over the Bank of England counters every day.

The Rev. Harvey Fletcher, D. D., of Atlanta, dropped dead in the lobby of a hotel at Beau-fort, S. C., aged 72.

The meanest man has been discovered in Spokane. He was caught robbing an orphan's mite box in a store in which he was employed as watchman.

William J. Tyndall, Congressman-elect from the Fourteenth Missouri District, has just visited a city for the first time and taken his first ride on an elevator.

An attempt was made by a student at Moscow to assassinate General Trepoft while he was bidding farewell to Grand Duke Sergius. Four previous attempts had been made to take his life.

The sentries on the Siberian Railway complain that the engine drivers, who probably have anti-imperial sympathies, take delight in opening a steam valve just as the engine is passing and giving them a soaking.

Opium smoking has reached immense proportions in the French ports on the Mediterranean Sea. Laws have been passed in Marseilles and Tonlon forbidding the "rolling of pills" in public places in those cities.

According to a German authority, the world's silk production in 1903 amounted to \$9,897,000 avoirdupois pounds, not including what was produced and consumed in the home markets of China and Japan.

Japanese exports for 1904 showed an increase of \$6,424,159 over 1903 and the imports increased \$10,080,597. Nearly all agricultural products were abundant, especially rice, which amounted to 248,145,000 bushels.

A call has been issued for a large representation of bankers to meet at New Orleans in conference with a committee to be appointed by the cotton convention, for the purpose of devising plans for organizing a cotton warehouse system throughout the leading cotton-growing states and territories.

It is reported from Paris that the stock of King Leopold of Belgium in the Canton Hankow Railroad has been transferred to representatives of J. Pierpont Morgan of New York. Foreign railroad interests in China contemplate establishing a line 2,000 miles long between Peking and Canton.

There is little likelihood that any peace talk will be listened to at this time by Russia. On the other hand, it is believed likely that Kuro-patkin will resume the offensive. The recent Cossack raid may have been a preliminary step in this direction. The Japanese claim that the Cossacks in making this raid invaded neutral territory.

All political parties in Panama have petitioned Minister Barrett that the functions of Minister to Panama and Governor of the canal zone be not performed by the same person.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock a. m.

TOBACCO FAIR PREMIUMS

Let Every Farmer in Mason County Get Samples Ready



The sixth annual Tobacco and Corn Fair will be held in this city on February 22d, 1905, Washington's Birthday.

It will be bigger and better than ever. Eminent speakers will deliver short addresses.

Samples of tobacco must contain twelve hands.

Exhibitors must state that sample was grown by him or on his land.

All samples must be shown in the class to which they belong.

They must be in the Courthouse at Maysville not later than 11 o'clock Wednesday, February 22d, 1905.

Cigarette. First premium... \$50.00 Second premium... 25.00 Third premium... 10.00 Fourth premium... 5.00

Red Leaf. First premium... \$30.00 Second premium... 15.00 Third premium... 10.00 Fourth premium... 5.00

White Leaf. First premium... \$30.00 Second premium... 15.00 Third premium... 10.00 Fourth premium... 5.00

White Corn. 25 ears make a sample. First premium... \$30.00 Second premium... 15.00 Third premium... 10.00 Fourth premium... 5.00

Yellow Corn. 25 ears make a sample. First premium... \$30.00 Second premium... 15.00 Third premium... 10.00 Fourth premium... 5.00

Wheat. 1 peck, any kind. First premium... \$20.00 Second premium... 10.00 Third premium... 5.00

Potatoes. 1 peck, any variety. First premium... \$20.00 Second premium... 10.00 Third premium... 5.00

Music by at least two bands. Exercises at Opera-house begin promptly at 1 o'clock.

Train on L. and N. R. R. will leave after the Fair.

The C. and O. Railroad quotes the following rates for the Tobacco Fair:

From points between Cincinnati and Portsmouth: Tickets to be sold February 21st and 22d, limited to February 21th, one and one-third fare.

Tickets to be sold for morning trains of February 22d, good to return on evening trains same day, one fare for the round-trip.

Address for further information JOHN DUFFY, President, H. C. Curran, Secretary.

An agreeable movement of the bowels without any unpleasant effect is produced by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by all Druggists.

A remarkable dinner was served recently by a farmer near Ant, Col. The table was set for twelve, and the menu consisted of one 5½-pound potato, one 15-pound cabbage, one 10-pound chicken, one 6-pound turnip, one 2-pound onion and three pies made from a 1½-pound apple.

According to reports made in October, 1903, there existed at that date 600 gardens in Belgium in which plots had been allotted to 3,000 persons. France had created 6,137 gardens, which had provided assistance to 103,000 persons. These gardens were provided either by charitable societies or by groups of philanthropists associated for that purpose.

FALL ONTO THIS!

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO GET SOMETHING FOR SOME THINGS

THE LEDGER'S GOLD BRICK FOUNDRY THE GREATEST "PIKER" EVER

The big city space-killers with their studio-borne headlines saying one thing and three lines of nonpareil saying another, having concluded their big vote-guessing lotteries, and Uncle Sam having notified them not to do so no more, it's now THE LEDGER'S inning.

Therefore, just jump at these attractive offerings—

FOR ONE BIG FAT TURKEY

You can read THE LEDGER 312 days or nights in the year, and as many other nights and days as you please. No limit to number, but only one Turk will be received from the same farm-yard. This will enable the enter to write a nice notice of the person who sends the best.

FOR ONE RIPE OLD HAM

You can "put yourself next" to the Turkey Man. Hams with the Scott Fletcher flavor preferred; but all old Mason county product is good.

FOR BUSHEL IRISH POTATOES

You can have just half the pleasure of the Turkey and Hamite.

COUNTRY SAUSAGE (Smoked preferred)

Will be accepted at net market rates on a spot cash basis, in exchange for gray matter, paper, presswork, ink and postage.

PRODIGIOUS "PUNKINS"

Are barred; Charlie Degman has a cinch on that product.

YOU'LL HAVE TO HURRY

If you want your winter crop of reading on these terms.

Don't typewrite or telegraph or telephone, but just bring along the goods and tell us where to send the paper on these terms.

Meat Smoked in a Minute.

The modern method of applying a condensed oil of smoke to meat will soon entirely replace the old, tedious process. You simply do in a minute what is done in a week or two by the old method. Meat is not dried or shrunk in weight, there is no danger of loss by fire or theft, meat has a better flavor, is preserved better and it is quickly done. We have a thoroughly reliable liquid smoke and shall be pleased to tell you more about it.

50c Per Quart Bottle.

THOS. J. CHENOWETH, DRUGGIST, CORNER SECOND AND SUTTON STREETS MAYSVILLE KY.

We carry a complete stock of

DIAMONDS, CLOCKS, SILVERWARE, OPTICAL GOODS, PENS, ETC., ETC. WATCHES, RINGS, UMBRELLAS, ETC., ETC.

25% REDUCTION in Decorated China to reduce stock. Now is the time to buy. All repairing done promptly.

DAN PERRINE, Jeweler, 9 W. SECOND ST., MAYSVILLE.

"Goods that are not good enough to advertise are not good enough to buy." Buy goods that are advertised in The Ledger.

A detachment of Siberian Cossacks was defeated by Japanese troops near Honan, in Korea.

Infant mortality is reported to be greater in Prussia than in any other country except Russia. The deaths the first year are 6 to 7 per cent in Sweden, 15 in France, and 23.6 in Prussia.

Great Britain has more doctors, proportionately speaking, than any country in Europe. To every 100,000 persons Great Britain has 150 medical men, Germany 48, Switzerland 42, and Russia 15.

A census was completed on the night of April 17th last, showing the population of the Transvaal to be as follows: Whites, 299,327; aboriginal natives, 345,498; colored (other than natives), 23,891; total, 1,268,716.

There are in London about 115½ miles of tramway, of which 88 miles have been purchased by the London County Council under the provisions of the tramway act of 1870; the remainder, about 27½ miles, are still in the hands of various tramway companies, nine in number.

Residents of Veversburg, Ind., found the dead bodies of John Brant, a newspaper man and Charles Eckburg, a barber, in a barber-shop, where they had gone to balance the books of the local Oddfellows Lodge. Both men were shot through the head, a revolver being found in a chair near Eckburg's body.

Cured His Mother of Rheumatism.

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husbard, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move, at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried; in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with." For sale by all Druggists.

A REVELATION!

Are the prices on our Embroideries. Expert judges examined them, pronounced the qualities better than others they had seen and prices about half. Big assortment on hand, from the inch wide edge to the high grade goods 12 to 18 inches wide. Prices 4½c on up. See our 10c assortment. See the wide Embroideries, suitable for corset covers, white skirts, etc. The same quality and style sells at other places for about \$1.

Our Price 39c.

Our Spring Gingham Are Here. 75 Styles to Select From. Price 10c

The celebrated Dellie brand, superior to Amoskeag and Toie du Nord.

HAYS & CO. NEW YORK STORE

P. S.—Should you want any Winter Goods they are yours for less than you can buy them anywhere else.

WASHINGTON OPERA-HOUSE.

Thursday, 19th ...January 19th

Extraordinary engagement. Count Leo Tolstol's European sensation.

Thou Shalt Not Kill!

Prices, 50, 35 and 25c.

THE HOOSIER GIRL. One of the Sis Hopkins kind. A story of Indiana folks, with Miss Kate Watson as Roxy and a superb acting company.

EDWARDS STOCK COMPANY, Three nights in repertoire.

SI STEBBINS, And his big Band and Orchestra. The funny rural drama.

Marshmallows....

A lot left over from the holidays. The finest Marshmallow made. Put up in nice, one-pound tin boxes, and you bet they're good. Sold Christmas week for 40 cents. Get sweet on 'em now at special price of 30 Cents.

TRAXEL'S

The exports of Siam in 1903 are valued at \$20,202,083 and the imports at \$17,747,632.

Siam's principal items of export are rice and teak wood. In 1903 \$15,373,727 worth of rice and \$2,251,375 worth of teak wood were exported; also pepper to the value of \$285,116.

The imports into France during the first seven months of 1904 amounted to \$516,967,677, against \$544,359,009 during the corresponding period in 1903, a falling off of \$27,391,332. The exports during the same periods increased from \$478,888,426 to \$500,177,835, a gain of \$21,290,409.

The preliminary estimate of the vintage of 1904 in France shows that in nine departments the crop of grapes is very good; in forty-six departments the crop of grapes is good, and in nineteen departments the crop is passable. It is estimated that the crop will yield 1,500,000,000 gallons of wine.

The Russian second Pacific squadron has left Suez, presumably for French Somaliland.

The plan of the British War Office to publish an "army journal" has been abandoned. The official reason for the abandonment is that it would take "too much time."

FIFTH WARD COAL ELEVATORS

Car. Second and Poplar Streets.

L. T. GAEBKE & CO

Fresh supply of the best quality of coal. Give us a trial order. We will also handle all kinds of Feed. Stable room free. Phone 216.

THE DISCOVERER

Of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the Great Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills.



ale medicine in the world has received such widespread and vement. It has such a record of cures of female troubles or such ends as has

Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

re the worst forms of Female Complaints, all Ovarian and Ulceration. Falling and Displacement of the Spinal Weakness, and is peculiarly adapted to the

s of Backache and Leucorrhoea, than any other rem- nown. It is almost infallible in such cases. It is from the Uterus in an early stage of de-

ainful Menstruation, Weakness of the Stomach, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debil- ities, causing pain, weight and backache, in- curred by its use. Under all circumstances it is as harmless as water.

g-down Feeling, extreme lassitude, "don't feeling, excitability, irritability, nervous- ss, flatulency, melancholy or the "blues" tions of Female Weakness, or some de- cline always cures. Kidney Complaints ble Compound always cures.

anything else are rewarded a hundred want—a cure. Sold by Druggists

Metropolitan LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.....

INCORPORATED BY THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

The Company OF the People, BY the People, FOR the People.

Amount of Outstanding Insurance, \$1,342,381,457.00.

PROOF OF PUBLIC CONFIDENCE.

This Company has more premium paying business in force in the United States than any other Company, and for each of the last ten years has had more New Insurance accepted and issued in America than any other Company.

The number of Policies in force is greater than that of any other Company in America, greater than all the Regular Life Insurance Companies put together, less one, and can only be appreciated by comparison. It is a greater number than the combined population of Greater New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis.

R. H. POWELL, Asst Supt. H. C. BURK, Asst Supt.

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& CO.**
ville's
Foremost
CLOTHIERS.

BLICKLEDGER
MAYSVILLE, KY.

Maysville Weather

What May Be Expected, Clear During the
Next Thirty-six Hours.

THE LEDGER CODE

White streamer—RAIN;
Blue—RAIN OF SNOW;
Black above—WILL WARMER GROW
Black beneath—COLDER WILL BE;
If Black's not shown no change will be.
The above forecasts are made for a period of
thirty-six hours, ending at 12 o'clock tomorrow eve-
ning.

Mrs. Amelia Cone of Fifth street fell on the
ice yesterday evening, breaking her shoulder
and otherwise injuring herself.

The cottage prayer-meeting at Mrs. Simon
Crowell's in Walnut street last night was at-
tended by twenty-eight people.

BUSINESS MEN'S PRAYER-MEETING.
There will be a Business Men's prayer ser-
vice every day at 11:30 o'clock in the building
formerly occupied by H. W. Rasp, next door to
Hunt's. Mr. W. W. Ball will lead the meeting
today. The business men are urged to attend
and give twenty or thirty minutes for a better
Maysville.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.
"Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are
the best thing for stomach troubles and constipa-
tion I have ever sold," says J. R. Culman, a
druggist of Pottersville, Mich. "They are easy to
take and always give satisfaction. I tell my cus-
tomers to try them and if not satisfactory to come
back and get their money, but have never had a
complaint." For sale by all Druggists.

Personal

Mr. Ed. Schwartz was down from Hunting-
ton Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas M. Russell is spending the day
in Cincinnati.

Messrs. R. L. and Charles P. Samuel of Flom-
ingsburg are in the city.

Misses Lulu and Kathryn Dawson of Purts-
mouth are guests of relatives here.

Hon. Rolla K. Hart of Flemingsburg passed
through the city yesterday en route to St. Louis.

Mrs. Anna Riley, after a visit to her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Douglas McDowell, has returned to
her home at Sherburne.

Mrs. Kate Klawitter returned to her home in
Cummingsville, O., this morning, after a pleas-
ant visit to her brother, Mr. John Briabois of
West Third street.

"THE BEYOND"

Beautiful Poem Read at the Funeral
of Mrs. Reeder

The following beautiful poem was found in
the Bible of the late Mrs. Caroline Reeder. The
Rev. John Barbour, D. D., read it to the assembled
surviving family and friends at her funeral rites
last week before consigning the remains to their
resting place in Maysville Cemetery.

Several there present have requested copies
and to grant these requests THE LEDGER now
publishes the exquisite sentiment which per-
vades the verses:

It seems such a little way to me
Across to that strange country, "The Beyond;"
And yet not strange, for it has grown to be
The home of those whom I am so fond.
They make it seem most familiar and most dear,
As journeying friends bring distant countries
near.

So close it lies that when my sight is clear
I think that I can see the gleaming strand;
I know I feel that those who have gone from here
Come near enough to touch my eager hand.
I often think that but for our mistle eyes
We should find Heaven right round about us lies.

I cannot make it seem a day to dread
When from this dear old Earth I shall journey
out
To that still dearer country of true life
And join the lost ones so long dreamed about.
I love this world. Yet I shall have to go
And meet the friends who wait for me, I know.
I never stand about a bier and see
The seal of Death set on some well-loved face
But what I think, one more to welcome me
When I shall cross the intervening space
Between this land and that one over there,
One more to make the strange beyond seem fair.

And so for me there is no sting to Death;
And so the grave has lost its terrors.
It is but crossing, with gladdened breath
And white-sail face, a little strip of sea,
To find the loved ones, waiting on the shore,
More beautiful, more precious than before.

What to Do If Constipated

Q. What is the beginning of sickness?
A. Constipation.

Q. What is Constipation?
A. Failure of the bowels to carry off the waste
matter which lies in the alimentary canal where
it decays and poisons the entire system. Eventu-
ally the results are death under the name of some
other disease. Note the deaths from typhoid
fever and appendicitis at the present time.

Q. What causes constipation?
A. Neglect to respond to the call of Nature
through Lack of exercise, Excessive brain
work. Mental emotion and improper diet.

Q. What are the results of neglected Constipa-
tion?
A. Constipation causes more suffering than
any other disease. It causes rheumatism, colds,
fevers, stomach, kidney, lung and heart troubles,
etc. It is the one disease that starts all others.
Indigestion, dyspepsia, loss of sleep and strength
are its symptoms—piles, appendicitis and listless-
ness are caused by Constipation. Its consequences
are known to all physicians, but few sufferers re-
alize their condition until it is too late. Women
become confirmed invalids as a result of Constipa-
tion.

Q. Do physicians recognize this?
A. Yes. The first question your doctor asks you
is "Are you constipated?" That is the secret.

Q. Can it be cured?
A. Yes, with proper treatment. The common
error is to resort to physic, such as pills, salts,
mineral water, castor oil, injections, etc., every-
one of which is injurious. They weaken and
increase the malady. You know this by your own
experience. Just the opposite effect is what you
need.

Q. What then should be done to cure it?
A. Write to Mull's Grape Tonic Co., 217 3d
Avenue, Rock Island, Ill., who will send you a
free bottle of Mull's Grape Tonic and instructions
how to positively cure Constipation and in the
shortest space of time. No other remedy has
been known to cure Constipation positively and
permanently.

Q. What is Mull's Grape Tonic?
A. It is a Grape Compound that exerts a pe-
culiar healing influence upon the intestines,
strengthening the muscles of the alimentary
canal so that they can do their work unaided.
The process is radical, but sure. It is not a
physic. It is unlike anything else you have ever
used, but it cures Constipation. Having a rich,
fruity grape flavor, it is pleasant to take.

Q. Where can Mull's Grape Tonic be had?
A. Your druggist sells it. The dollar bottle
contains nearly three times the 50-cent size, but
if you write TODAY you will receive the first
bottle free with instructions. This test will
prove its worth.

Immediately after the Senate convened at
Frankfort yesterday morning Senator George
introduced a bill empowering the Capitol Com-
missioners to select a site for the new Capitol
and appropriating \$50,000 with which to pur-
chase the site. The bill was given its first
reading.

THOU SHALT NOT KILL.

Count Leo Tolstoi, whose famous works have
thousands of admirers in America and who is
best remembered from his "Resurrection" and
the sensation that it created throughout the
world, has consented to a dramatization of his
latest work "Thou Shalt Not Kill" for American
production, and Frederick Schwartz, after a
personal visit at Moscow to Tolstoi has made
the dramatization. The play was recently pro-
duced in New York and its success was both
emphatic and pronounced from the opening per-
formance. Mabel Gardine and a strong sup-
porting company will be seen at the Opera-
house Thursday night. There are several
startling situations in the piece and the claim
is advanced that it is one of the most constan-
tent of the new dramas presented this season.
Seats now on sale at Ray's.

People's Column

No Charge! Advertisements under
the heading of "Help
Wanted," "Situations
Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding
thirty lines in length, are FREE to all.

**No Business Advertisements inserted
without pay.**

If answers fast to come the first time, we invite as
many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you
advertise for. We wish advertisers to feel that they
are not imposing on us by using our free columns.

**Advertises must furnish copy, which can be
left at the office or sent by mail.**

THE PUBLIC LEDGER,
No. 10 East Third Street.

Help Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding
ten lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 40 cents a week.

WANTED—RESPONSIBLE MAN—To man-
age an office and distributing depot for
large manufacturing concern. Salary \$1,500 per
annum and commissions. Applicant must have
good references and \$1,000. Capital secure. Ad-
dress SUPERINTENDENT, 333 West Twelfth
street, Chicago. dec17 ast

WANTED—PUPILS—Mrs. JAMES S. WOOD
will receive a limited number of pupils for
plane instruction, preparing them for teachers or
for sole work. She is a pupil of Sherwood, also of
two Conservatories—New York and Chicago—
teaching the Leschetizky method exclusively.
For terms call at St. Charles Hotel. Jan 17 ast

WANTED—STUDENTS—To learn improved
bookkeeping. Use your spare moments.
Will teach you privately or will teach a class.
Call on or address J. ARTHUR MITCHELL, 215
Bridge street, Maysville, Ky. dec28 tw if

WANTED—WASHING—Anyone who wants
washing or ironing done apply to Mrs.
HERTHA RAMSEY, Southwest corner Third and
Commerce streets. dec21 tw

For Sale.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding
ten lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 40 cents a week.

FOR SALE—COWS—Two No. 1 Jersey milk
cows and one heifer one year old. JAMES
BURGLE, Forest avenue, Maysville, Ky. 10 18 ast

Lost.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free;
but advertisers must furnish the copy.

LOST—FUR COLLAR—Wednesday night, be-
tween corner Fourth and Market and Opera-
house. Leave at this office and get reward.
Jan 12 tw

LOST—GOLD HEAD NECKLACE—Between
my residence, Central Presbyterian Church
and home of J. James Wood. Finder please re-
turn and receive reward. L. K. PARRY. 12 tw

LOST—PLAID BELT—Off coat with two white
buttons on it. Please return to this office.
Jan 12 tw

LOST—FUR—With six tails; between Opera-
house and Third street Wednesday night.
Return to this office. Jan 12 tw

LOST—85—Between residence of Thomas M.
Donald and Roe Carr, Sixth Ward. Finder
please return to Mrs. THOMAS McDONALD.
Jan 10 tw

LOST—HOUND—Black and tan, belonging to
Mr. JOHN L. TRUMBHO. A suitable re-
ward if returned to him at Revereville, Ky. 10 tw

LOST—\$30—In paper, Thursday afternoon, be-
tween Postoffice and First National Bank.
Reward for its return to this office. dec31 tw

Found.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free;
but advertisers must furnish the copy.

FOUND—COAL SHOVEL—On upper Lime-
stone street. Owner can get same from
CARL HAUSER, 508 Limestone street. 14 tw

FOUND—SHAWLS—At Charity Hall of R. T.
two white shawls. Owners can get same by
calling at Barker's Shoe Store. Jan 12 tw

ANNUAL

Inventory Sale!

Our annual inventory sale will commence December 27th and
continue for three weeks. This is an annual event that you know
all about. There is no novelty about it. Nothing sensational
about it. It is simply our way of advertising the necessity of not
carrying goods from one season into the next by sacrificing them to
our customers while there is wearable time ahead. This sale is our

Greatest Bargain Event of the Year

And no one but tramps and millionaires can afford to miss it.
Smart, refined, safe Overcoats, suitable to wear anywhere, correct in
every way. Suits with the popular broad shoulders, hand-made
throughout, tailored in the same high-grade fashion as all of our
clothing. Here is a Suit and Overcoat opportunity that you should
not let get away from you with at least two-thirds of the winter
weather staring you in the face.

J. Wesley Lee,
The Clothier and Men's Furnisher,
Second and Market Streets, MAYSVILLE, KY.

**GOOD
CLEAN
COAL!**

Coal that suits. Pleases
everybody, including the
housewife, the cook and
the man who pays the
coal bills. Try a load.

**BRICK, LIME,
SAND, SALT
and CEMENT.**

Agents for the famous
Alabaster Plaster. Write
or call or telephone

**MAYSVILLE
COAL CO.**

**DAVIS
PRINTER**

**Ledger Building,
MAYSVILLE, KY.**

Work Done When Promised.

Latest Markets

CINCINNATI, Jan. 11, 1905.

CATTLE.

Good to choice shippers..... \$4.25@5.25
Extra..... 4.85@5.00
Butcher steers, good to choice..... 4.00@4.60
Extra..... 4.65@4.75
Common to fair..... 2.50@3.55
Heifers, good to choice..... 3.50@4.00
Extra..... 4.10@4.25
Common to fair..... 2.00@3.40
Cows, good to choice..... 2.75@3.25
Extra..... 3.35@3.50
Common to fair..... 1.50@2.50
Scalawags..... 1.50@2.40
Bulls, bolognas..... 2.75@3.15

CALVES.

Extra..... \$7.50@7.75
Fair to good..... 6.25@6.35
Common and large..... 1.00@6.75

HOGS.

Selected, medium and heavy..... \$1.10@1.75
Good to choice packers..... 1.80@1.85
Mixed packers..... 1.65@1.75
Sinks..... 2.75@3.30
Common to choice heavy sows..... 2.75@4.20
Light shippers..... 1.40@1.60
Pigs—110 lbs and less..... 1.00@1.35

PORK.

Extra light fat butchers..... \$7.35@7.75
Good to choice heavy..... 7.30@7.65
Common to fair..... 5.00@7.25

FLOUR.

Winter patent..... \$5.50@5.75
Winter fancy..... 5.15@5.35
Winter family..... 4.35@4.40
Extra..... 3.75@4.00
Low grade..... 3.20@3.50
Spring patent..... 5.10@5.35
Spring fancy..... 5.00@5.25
Spring family..... 4.70@4.90
Rye, Northwestern..... 4.15@4.30
Rye, city..... 4.20@4.30

EGGS.

Fresh near-by stock, round lots. 27 @
Held stock, loss off..... 18 @
Goose..... 30 @
Duck..... 18 @

POULTRY.

Sprangers..... 11 @ 11 1/4
Fryers..... 18 @
Hens..... 11 @
Roosters..... 5 1/2 @
Ducks, old..... 10 @ 12
Spring turkeys..... 11 @ 13
Geese, per dozen..... \$1.00@2.00

WHEAT.

No. 2 red winter..... 1 21/2 @ 22
No. 3 red winter..... 1 11/2 @ 15
No. 4 red winter..... 1 02 @ 10
Rejected..... 90 @ 95

CORN.

No. 2 white..... 47 @
No. 3 white..... 46 @
No. 2 yellow..... 47 @ 47 1/4
No. 3 yellow..... 45 @
No. 2 mixed..... 47 @
No. 3 mixed..... 45 @ 46
Rejected..... 40 @ 45
White ear..... 47 1/2 @ 48 1/4
Yellow ear..... 48 1/2 @ 49 1/4
Mixed ear..... 47 1/2 @ 48 1/4

OATS.

No. 2 white..... 33 @ 34
No. 3 white..... 33 1/2 @
No. 4 white..... 32 @ 33 1/2
Rejected..... 30 1/2 @ 33 1/4
No. 2 mixed..... 31 @ 33 1/4
No. 3 mixed..... 31 @
No. 4 mixed..... 29 @ 32 1/4

HAZ.

Choice timothy..... \$12.75@13.00
No. 1 timothy..... 12.50@12.75
No. 2 timothy..... 11.00@11.25
No. 3 timothy..... 9.50@10.00
No. 1 clover mixed..... 10.50@10.75
No. 2 clover mixed..... 9.25@9.75
No. 1 clover..... 12.00@12.50
No. 2 clover..... 10.50@10.50

**Henry
Watterson's
Letters
From Europe**

Will Be a
Leading Feature
of The
Courier-Journal
During 1905.

THERE WILL BE MANY OTHER ATTRAC-
TIVE DEPARTMENTS, ALL GOING TO MAKE
A COMPLETE NEWSPAPER

MAIL RATES.
DAILY COURIER-JOURNAL ONE YEAR..... \$6
DAILY AND SUNDAY ONE YEAR..... 8
WEEKLY ONE YEAR..... 1

COURIER-JOURNAL CO.
LOUISVILLE, KY.

**THE LEDGER leads in
all, and is the favorite paper
of the people.**

Mr. William H. Hawes of Sutton street re-
ceived a telegram yesterday conveying the in-
telligence of the death of his nephew, son of L.
L. Hawes, Fort Worth, Texas.

Judge Thomas R. Pfister is attending Court
at Vanceburg this week. He is assisting the
Commonwealth in a poisoning case that will be
tried at this term of the Lewis Circuit Court.

HAT RACKS!
THAT ARE HUMMERS

We have just received a big shipment of Hat
Racks that should interest you.

THE PRICE IS ENTERTAINING,
THEIR BEAUTY IS ENTICING.

We also call your attention to a \$8 line of Iron
Beds that are just in.

THEY ARE THE BEST EVER.

Give us a call. We are trying so hard to please
you.

**WINTER'S WHITE.....
PALACE**
MAYSVILLE, KY.

We Give GLOBE STAMPS.

Mr. Condit Tucker has recovered from two
weeks illness of diphtheria by the treatment of
Dr. L. Brand of this city.

GEORGE H. TRAXEL,
PRACTICAL PLUMBER,
GAS & STEAM FITTER.
PRICES REASONABLE. Phone 187.

**PICARD'S
SNOW-WHITE
CREAM**

For chapped hands and face is
an ideal toilet preparation. Being
made under our own supervision we
can thoroughly recommend it to do
what we claim. For chapped skin it
has no equal. Gloves can be worn im-
mediately after applying. Picard's
Snow White Cream is excellent to use
after shaving.

PRICE 25c Per Bottle.

JOHN C. PECOR,
PHARMACIST.

REMOVAL!

Dr. T. H. N. SMITH,
RELIABLE DENTISTRY.
Moved to No. 8 West Second Street, Next to J.
Felt, Wood & Son's Drugstore.
All work fully guaranteed.

**Grand
Annual
Mid-Winter
CLEARANCE SALE**

Our Bargain Tables Are Set. The Feast of Low Prices is Ready. The Early Buyers Get Choice of These Unheard-of Prices:

SHOES..... 49c	One Lot of MEN'S SHOES..... 74c	One Lot Misses' and Women's Shoes..... 39c	One Lot Extra Fine Women's Vic Kid, patent tip..... 99c
MEN'S SHOES, and plain toes, 99c	One Lot of Men's Extra Fine Shoes, vic and box calf, latest styles..... \$1.49	One Lot Women's Kid, Patent Tip, Lace..... 69c	One Lot \$4 and \$5 Women's Extra Fine Shoes..... \$1.99

DAN COHEN'S GREAT WESTERN SHOE STORE.
W. H. MEANS, MANAGER.